

July 31, 1979

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Dear Mike:

Enclosed is the application for the Straight Creek Mine. This mine will include a new incline to the ore body. We would like to begin surface site construction around the first of September so anything you can do to expedite this application will be greatfully appreciated. The mine will be located approximately 29 miles south of Hanksville.

Thanks for your help and I am looking forward to seeing you.

Sincerely,

Dean Roberts,

Environmental Specialist

DR/gp

Enclosure